

### REMARKS

This Application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office Action mailed June 15, 2005. At the time of the Office Action, Claims 1-3 were pending in this Application. Claims 1-3 were rejected. Claim 1 have been amended to further define various features of Applicants' invention. Claims 2 and 3 have been canceled. Claims 4 to 7 have been added. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and favorable action in this case.

#### **Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112**

Claims 1-3 were rejected by the Examiner under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite and failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which Applicants regard as the invention. Applicants amended Claim 1 and canceled claims 2 and 3 without prejudice to overcome these rejections and respectfully request full allowance of all pending Claims. Applicant believes that all pending claims are now definite because as recommended by the Examiner, independent claim 1 now recites the geometric arrangement of the transistor cell.

### CONCLUSION

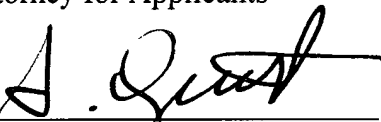
Applicants have now made an earnest effort to place this case in condition for allowance in light of the amendments and remarks set forth above. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claims as amended.

Applicants believe there are no fees due at this time, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees necessary or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2148 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

If there are any matters concerning this Application that may be cleared up in a telephone conversation, please contact Applicants' attorney at 512.322.2545.

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